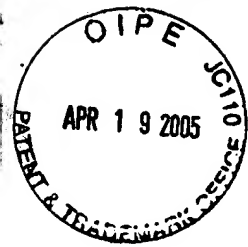


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Dear Sir:

Favorable reconsideration of the above-identified patent application is respectfully requested in view of the amendments and comments below.

REMARKS

Enclosed herewith are nine sheets of drawings to effectuate changes thereto. These sheets replace the corresponding original sheets. Figures 1, 2, 3, 4, 5a, 5b, 6a, 6b, and 7 have been corrected herein in accordance with 37 CFR 1.84(c), 37 CFR 1.84(g), 37 CFR 1.84(l), and 37 CFR 1.84(p) as required and noted by the Examiner in the Notice Regarding Drawings dated February 17, 2005. In the event any fees are due in connection with this communication, the Commissioner is authorized to charge those fees to Deposit Account No. 50-1063 [ALBRP237US].

Should the Examiner believe a telephone interview would be helpful to expedite patent issuance, the Examiner is invited to contact applicants' undersigned representative at the telephone number listed below.

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